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SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited),

Will despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. AFRICA, 2,032 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 30th March, 1881, at 3 p.m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Coompta, Mangaoore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S. S. PUNJAUB, 1,080 Tons, on TUESDAY, 29th March, 1881, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order.

FOR CUTCH, MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. COCONADA, 862 Tons, on FRIDAY, 1st April, 1881, at 10 a. m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILIMANE, DELAGOA BAY, NATAL AND THE CAPE COLONY.

THE S. S. ABYSSINIA, 1,129 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 6th April, 1881.

FOR QUEENSLAND.

S. S. ROMA, 2,700 Tons. The coast steamer leaving Bombay on Wednesday, 30th March, will connect at Colombo with the Queensland Royal Mail Steamer Roma from England, and passengers and cargo can be booked for the following ports :—

Bowen, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Bowen, Rockhampton, and Brisbane.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 24th March, 1881. Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION with ITALY

VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

The Regular Steamers Leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 21th, and on the 1st *of each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.

[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.	
Aden	Rs.	220	Rs.	150	Rs.	40
Suez	„	360	„	220	„	80
Port Said	„	380	„	240	„	90
Messina	„	500	„	340	„	140
Naples	„	500	„	340	„	140
Leghorn	„	500	„	340	„	140
Genoa	„	500	„	340	„	140
Marseilles	„	520	„	350	„	145

Including Wines. Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

Next steamers from Bombay :—

SINGAPORE, to sail on FRIDAY, 1st April, 1881.
MANILLA, to sail on SUNDAY, 1st May, 1881.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation, and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess.

The Steamers of this Company start precisely at 12 noon. Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board free of charges by the Company's steam launch leaving Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a. m.

First and Second Class Through Railway Tickets, from GENOA and NAPLES to LONDON, are issued here at rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can be booked at through-rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle.
Bombay, 1st December, 1880.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYDS' STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO TRIESTE CALLING AT ADEN, SUEZ, PORTSAID AND BRINDISI.

THE following large Passenger Steamers will be despatched from BOMBAY to the abovementioned Ports :—

S. S.	Captains.	Tons.	H. P.	Date of sailing.
URANO	N. Ucropina	1830	400	5th April 1881.
DAPHNE	G. Doncich	1927	400	5th May.
VORWAERTS.	G. Marussig	2381	450	5th June.

These voyages will be performed at *Increased Speed.*

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 400	Rs. 280	Rs. 140 0
TO BRINDISI	400	280	140 0
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	375	295	143 0
To Port Said	320	235	131 0
To Suez	240	122	0
To Aden	170	130	66 8

Extra steamers will be despatched from Bombay to Trieste via Canal as follows :—

s. s. TEBE.....D. Lucich on or about 31st March 1881.
s. s. MEMFI ..... „ 25th April 1881.
s. s. CASTORE..G. Mahorcich. „ 25th May 1881.

STEAM TO HONGKONG VIA COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s S. S. VORWAERTS, Captain G. MARUSSIG, will be DESPATCHED as above on the 28th March, 1881.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, March 9th, 1881.

BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Ld.

BOMBAY TO LONDON.

THE Company's fine new steamer CAMORTA, 2,000 tons will sail from Bombay for London direct on 1st April.

She is a poop ship with excellent accommodation for passengers, and is fitted out with all the recent improvements. She carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO., Agents.

JAFFER SULLIMAN'S BAZAAR, GIRGAUM.

AN upper-storey HOUSE, situated at Malabar Hill near the Ridge, with 3 sets of Bed-rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Rent moderate. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

FOR SALE.

Real Brussels Carpets with borders of the newest color, and the latest pattern.

Four-in-hand silver-mounted carriage harness, also single and pair horse harness just unpacked.

Information regarding buying and selling horses and carriages, &c., can be obtained from the undersigned.

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BAILDON'S APERIENT FRUIT LOZENGES,

PREPARED from the bark of RHAMNUS FRANGULA, which has been described on high authority as "THE ONLY REAL APERIENT WE HAVE," as it cures, instead of increasing, the after-tendency to constipation. These are vastly superior to the French Lozenges and Pastilles so much in vogue during the last few years.

Per Bottle, Re. 1-12.

AGENTS,
D. S. KEMP & Co.,
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.
SUIT NO. 116 OF 1879.

SHAIK ABDOOLA AZIZ ARAB, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant, residing at Modikhana, in the Island of Bombay .....Plaintiff.

vs.

NAKHODA MAHOMED BIN HOOSAIN ESSOSSEE, ALLI BIN HOOSEIN ESSOSSEE, both of Queth in Arabia, but at present residing at Calicut, carrying on business under the name and firm of NAKHODA MAHOMED BIN HOOSEIN ESSOSSEE ...Defendants

WHEREAS by a Decree made in the above Suit on the Eighth day of April, 1879, it was ordered that the Defendants should pay to the plaintiff the sum of Rupees eleven hundred and two hundred and forty-four, annas nine and pies three for debt and interest, and the costs of this Suit when taxed, and further simple interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum upon the amount of judgment from the date of the said Decree until payment.

AND WHEREAS by a Warrant of Attachment of moveable property, dated the 18th day of November, 1880, the following moveable property was attached, namely, a country vessel or buglow, Futheli Mooharuck, with her boats, masts, sails, ropes and other apparel and appurtenances, towards the satisfaction of the said Decree.

Now it is hereby PROCLAIMED and NOTIFIED that on MONDAY, the 28th day of March, 1881, at 12 o'clock noon, under and by virtue of a warrant for sale of moveable property issued in the above Suit on the 23rd day of February, 1881, will be put up for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION at Mody Bay Bunder the abovenamed moveable property.

The sale will extend to the right, title, and interest of the Defendants in the said property.

The buglow to be paid for at the time of sale.

For further information and conditions of sale application should be made at the Office of the Sheriff.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1881.

SORABJEE S. BENGALLEE, Sheriff of Bombay.
Messrs. JEFFERSON, BHAISHUNKER, and DINSHA, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to SOUTHAMPTON, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, AND GIBRALTAR.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1881.
s. MALWA	2950	500	W. Thompson	31st Mar.
— SUMATRA	2488	450	R. F. Briscoe	7th Apr.
s. BRINDISI	3600	550	Geo. Lee	14th „
— SIAM	3026	500	A. H. Johnson	21st „
s. AUSTRALIA	3664	600	G. F. Cates	28th „
— GWALIOR	2733	450	J. Orman	5th May.
s. SURAT	3142	530	W. E. Breeze	12th „
— CATHAY	2383	500	W. M. Robbie	19th „
s. MONGOLIA	2833	530	E. M. Edmond	26th „
— LOMBARDY	2723	450	J. B. Chapman	31st „
s. ROSETTA	3500	700	A. E. Barlow	7th June.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under, THREE MONTHS from date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi by both ways.	Via Brindisi. one way.	Via Southampton. both ways.
First Class	Rs. 950	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class.	Rs. 500	Rs. 550	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS.			
First Class	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class.	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1881.
NIZAM	2725	450	Geo. Brady	8th Apl.
KHIVA	2609	450	T. Alderton	22nd Apl.
RAVENNA	3340	700	E. Stewart	6th May.

	1st Class.	2n Class.
Return Tickets are now issued	Rs.	Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Galle and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Penang or Singapore and back do.	450	225

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Galle.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock head, at Mazagon, at 3 p. m., on the day of sailing.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 15th February, 1881.

P. & O. S. N. COMPANY. EXTRA STEAMER TO HONGKONG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamer CHINA will leave for the above Ports on the 30th March, calling at Ceylon and Penang if inducement offers.

F. D. PARKER, Superintendent.
Bombay, 23rd March, 1881.

ANCHOR LINE.

S. S. ROUMANIA, 3,300 tons, 400 H. P., Captain T. Knox, WILL SAIL positively on 30th instant for Liverpool. Apply to W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Tons.	Sails.
CLAN STUART	s. s. 2,092.	14th April.
CLAN MACDUFF	s. s. 2,328.	30th April.
CLAN FRASER	s. s. 2,083.	20th May.

and to be followed by others at fortnightly intervals.

Passage money, Rs. 450.

For further particulars apply to
FINLAY, MUIR & Co., Agents.
Bombay, 23rd March, 1881.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Captains	Tons.	h.p.	noml.	1881.
s.s. ROUMANIA	T. G. Knox	3300	400		30th March
s.s. BRITANNIA	R. Hutchinson	3060	400		14th May
s.s. HISPANIA	James Laird	3300	400		11th June

BOMBAY TO GENOA OR NAPLES.

	Captains	Tons.	h.p.	noml.	1881.
s.s. CASTALIA	J. D. Allison	2200	421		23rd April
s.s. MACEDONIA	Thos. Martin	2272	486		25th May

For rates and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.
Bombay, 5th January, 1880.

FOR SALE.

THE TIMBER now in use at CHIARINI'S CIRCUS, which cost Rs. 2,500, and is quite new and sound.

Apply immediately at the Ticket Office to

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Cash Rs. 2-12 per bottle.

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Advances made on approved Personal Security in connection with Life Policies in the Oriental Life Office.

For Proposal Forms apply to
D. McLAUCHLAN SLATER, F.I.A.,
MANAGING DIRECTOR.
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THE INDIAN GUARANTEE AND SURETYSHIP ASSOCIATION, Limited,

IS the FIRST PUBLIC COMPANY established in India, to provide Security against Losses arising through dishonesty of persons holding situations of trust, and to obviate the inconvenience and defects of Suretyship by Private Bondsmen.

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Friends and Relations relieved of the fear of those pecuniary-losses to which persons are exposed who become responsible for the acts of others.

Moderate rates according to the nature of the Employment on the amount of security required.

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Elphinstone Circle, Bombay. Secretary.

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IT is perfectly innocuous to the most delicate skin, well adapted as an absorbent Powder for TOILET AND NURSERY USE IN INDIA, and guaranteed to be Free from Arsenic or other injurious matter

	Cash.	Credit.
Small-size Tins	Rs. 0 10	0 12
Double-size Tins	„ 1 0	1 2

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THE WESTERN DISTRICT CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, Limited.

CAPITAL £10,000, in 10,000 Shares of £1 each.
LIABILITY LIMITED TO NUMBER OF SHARES ALLOTTED.

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ALEXANDER ROGERS, Esquire (late Member of Council, Bombay), 38, Clanricarde Gardens, W.
C. J. TOWNLEY, Esquire, 4, Holland Park Terrace, W.
MAJOR R. G. BIRCH, 28, Clarges Street, W.
W. O. G. YOUNGHUSBAND, Esquire, 5, College Villas, Belsize Park, N.W.
M. WATSON, Esquire, 56, Elgin Crescent, Notting Hill, W.
CAPTAIN A. V. L. COOMBS (Dorset Militia), Dorchester.

OFFICES OF THE COMPANY.

DORCHESTER HOUSE, 63, 65, and 67, BISHOP'S ROAD BAYSWATER, London, W.

WE have been APPOINTED AGENTS in INDIA for the Society, and will send Prospectuses, Price lists, and all information to anyone desiring the same.

WM. WATSON & Co.
Bombay, 28, Apollo Street and 9, Ezra Street, Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the ORIENTAL GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, will be held at the Offices of the Company, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th March, 1881, at 1 p. m.

(1) To receive the Directors' Report, Bankers' Certificate, and Auditors' Report on the Audited Accounts, for year ending 31st December, 1880.
(2) To confirm election of R. Valentine Reid, Esq., as a Director.
(3) To elect Director, Auditors, and Trustees.
(4) To submit Consulting Actuary's Valuation Report on the Assets and Liabilities, to 31st December, 1879.
(5) To decide as to the amount of Profit which has been realized :—
(*a*) To Assured.
(*b*) As Dividend.
(*c*) As Reserve.
(*d*) And generally on all matters and things arising out of or germane to the Valuation of Consulting Actuary.
(6) To take into consideration the Establishment of a Fire Branch.
(7) To issue the remaining Shares.
(8) To transact any other business which may be brought before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
D. McLAUCHLAN SLATER, F.I.A.,
Manager and Actuary.
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 4th March, 1881.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.

NOTICE.

MRS. NORVILLE'S BENEFIT IS POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY, 31ST MARCH, 1881,

When it will positively take place.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BYCULLA CLUB.

WHEN WILL BE PRESENTED THE SPARKLING COMEDIETTA,

DEAREST MAMMA,

in which

COLONEL POTTINGER

Has kindly consented to appear.

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Plan can be seen, and seats secured, at Messrs. SOUNDY & Co.

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FIRST GRAND VOLUNTEER FETE OF THE SEASON ON SATURDAY, 2ND APRIL, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE B. V. R. BAND,

under the direction of

MESSRS. NORVILLE AND CROFTON.

Honorary Secretaries. { Capt. W. M. TENNENT. / Lt. A. W. PROUDFOOT.

NOW READY.

THE MAIWAND COURT-MARTIAL.

FULL REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS

In Re

MAJOR A. PURCELL CURRIE,

WITH PLAN OF THE

BATTLEFIELD OF MAIWAND.

Price Re. 1.

BOMBAY GAZETTE OFFICE, RAMPART ROW.

THE FRAMJEE COWASJEE PATENT PRESS COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at No. 34, Nicol Building, Elphinstone Circle, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of April, 1881, at 2 P.M., for passing and confirming the final account of the liquidation and to release the Company.

ARDESHIR BYRAMJEE KAPADIA,
Bombay, 28th March, 1881. Liquidators.

NOTICE.

THE SEAFORDE LAND IMPROVEMENT CO., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Eldon Road, Fort, Bombay, on MONDAY, the 4th day of April, 1881, at 5 o'clock p. m., to transact the following business :

1. To receive the Director's Report and Statement of accounts for the year ending 31st December last.
2. To consider whether a Dividend should be declared.
3. To appoint Auditor and to fix remuneration.

By Order of the Directors.
ARTHUR W. FORDE, Secretary.
Bombay, 26th March, 1881.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

REDUCED RATE FOR COTTON PIECE-GOODS PACKED, BOOKED TO AGRA AND DELHI.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after MONDAY next, the twenty-eighth instant, the rate per maund for cotton piece-goods packed will be via Jubbalpur.

From Bombay..... { To Delhi ..... Rs. 2 5 3 / To Agra ..... „ 2 3 6

HENRY CONDER, General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the twenty-sixth of March, 1881.

THE SHOLAPOOR SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Sholapore Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 2, Church Lane, Fort, on SATURDAY, the 2nd proximo, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of transacting the following business :—

1st.—To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December, 1880.
2nd.—To declare a Dividend.
3rd.—To appoint Directors in place of those who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election, and to confirm the appointments of Directors made by the Board.
4th. To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.
5th.—To consider the proposal made by some Shareholders that an amount be set aside from the last year's profit to perpetuate the memory of the late Honourable Morarjee Goculdass, C. I. E., in some shape as to the Shareholders may seem best, as a token of their high appreciation of the services rendered by him to the Mill.
6th.—To transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from 30th instant to 6th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
MORARJEE GOCULDASS AND CO.,
Bombay, March 25, 1881. Agents.

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RASPBERRY ICE-CREAM.
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CASH Per doz. Quarts. Rs.	a.						CASH. Per doz. Quartz. Rs.	a.
17	0	... Fine Old	...	...MARSALA...	...	... ... Sicily..	17	0
		The finest quality produced, softened by age, and mellow to the palate.						
32	0	... Fine Old	...	..MADEIRA...	direct from the Island...		32	0
		Rich and full of body, the flavour and aroma being fully developed by the East Indian trip.						
33	0	... Superior Old	...	PORT ...		Portugal...	33	0
		This our well-known Invalid Wine is largely recommended by the Medical Profession, and is of a quality rarely met with in this country.						
28	0	... Fine Old	...	PORT ...		Portugal...	28	0
		A wholesome nutritious Wine, thoroughly matured before bottling.						
19	0	... Fine	...	PORT ...		Portugal...	19	0
		A rich fruity Wine of good flavour and character.						
		N. B.—Pints of the two first named Ports at an advance of Rs. 3 per case of 2 dozen.						
22	8	... Fine Old	..	CARLOWITZ		Hungarian...	22	8
		This Wine has a decided taste and flavour of the grape, and is highly recommended by the Medical Profession for its medicinal properties.						
18	0	.. Fine...		...CARLOWITZ		Hungarian...	18	0
		Softness and mellowness are marked features of this Wine. *N.B.*—Pints of Carlowitz at a small advance.						
18	0	... Red...	...	SHIRAZ ...		... Australian...	18	0
		An excellent Wine.						
16	0	... White ...	..	HOCHHEIMER..		Australian...	16	0
		A fair Wine of good quality.						

TREACHER AND COMPANY, LD.,

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	Length	27 inch.	30 inch.	33 inch.	36 inch.
The Gentlemen's Overland...	...Credit	Rs. 27 0	Rs. 30 0	Rs. 33 0	Rs. 36 0
	Cash...	Rs. 24 6	Rs. 27 0	Rs. 29 12	Rs. 32 8
The Ladies' Overland, with Tray	...Credit.	Rs. 32 0	Rs. 35 0	Rs. 38 0	Rs. 41 0
	Cash...	Rs. 28 14	Rs. 31 8	Rs. 34 4	Rs. 37 0

BLACK FOLDING RAILWAY PORTMANTEAUX,

Bound with leather, and strong leather-straps.

Length	24 inch.	27 inch.	30 inch.
Credit	Rs. 25,	Cash Rs. 22-8, Credit Rs. 27-8,	Cash Rs. 24-12. Credit Rs. 30, Cash Rs. 27

SOLID LEATHER RAILWAY PORTMANTEAUX.

Length	24 inch.	27 inch.	30 inch.
Credit	Rs. 45,	Cash Rs. 40-8. Credit Rs. 50,	Cash Rs. 45-0. Credit Rs. 55, Cash Rs. 49-8.

BLACK LEATHER GLADSTONE BAGS,

With expanding sides, and extra patent clasps.

Length	20 inch.	22 inch.	24 inch.
Credit	Rs. 35,	Cash Rs. 31-8. Credit Rs. 40,	Cash Rs. 36. Credit Rs. 45, Cash Rs. 40-8.

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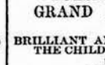

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EDWARD, BATES & Co., Agents.
Bombay, 26th March, 1881.

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IN LIQUIDATION.

THE ADJOURNED EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 28th instant, at 4-30 p. m., to consider Counsel's opinion, regarding the withdrawal of the Company from Liquidation, and to pass such Resolutions as may be deemed advisable to the shareholders.

JNO. G. RUSSELL,
SORABJEE RUSTOMJEE BUNSHAH, } Liquidators
Bombay, 19th March, 1881.

JUST RECEIVED.

	Rs.	a.
Mayne's Commentaries on the Indian Penal Code, New Edn. 1881. Enlarged	14	8
Leggett's Treatise on the Laws of Bills of Lading	12	0
A Political Diary; by Lord Ellenborough, Edited by Lord Colchester, 2 Vols.	18	12

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 26.

Not being expected until Monday the announcement that the Budget had been made public in Calcutta yesterday evening, was a matter of some surprise in business circles this morning. Singularly enough nothing like a full resume had been received during business hours to-day, but enough was known through private telegrams to show that no very important changes would result. The main points of interest from a commercial point of view are, of course, the intimations regarding Loans and the Council drawings for the coming year; and in both cases the statement is pretty much what was generally anticipated. There is to be an Indian Loan of 3 Crores, "the terms and conditions of which will be announced here after." We shall probably, however, not be very far wrong in taking these to mean a 4 per cent. rupee loan to be brought out in July, and if so the permanent effect on the market for Government Securities will be insignificant. There is no diminution in the Home charges nor in the drawings to provide for them, the figure being put at £17,200,000, so that Exchange has nothing to look for from that quarter, nor apparently is any notice taken of the coming Paris Conference the possible result of which might be of the utmost importance to Indian finance.

We have yet to see what effect the Budget has had on Rupee Paper in London. Yesterday, although Silver was quoted 1-16 higher, 4 per cents. were ⅜ and 4½ per cents. ⅛ lower at 81¾ and 91⅞ respectively. Consols continue unchanged at 100⅜, French Rentes 101¾.

In the Mincing Lane markets, Coffee comes unaltered, Cocoanut-oil 10s. to £1 per ton higher. Seeds and Wheat are unchanged. Wallaroo Copper is quoted 10s. per ton lower.

The Manchester Piece-goods market yesterday was quiet at previous prices. Cotton in Liverpool yesterday was weak, sales 7,000 bales, and to-day comes dull sales 6,000 bales, spot prices being unaltered. Private messages, however, continue to report Surats to arrive practically unsaleable, and on the Continent the position is no better. In New York yesterday ready Mid.-Uplands were unchanged at 10⅞ cents., but June shipment was 11 points higher at 10·83. To-day the quotations come 10⅞ and 10·72 cents. per lb. respectively.

We subjoin our usual weekly comparison of the statistical position of the staple, and a glance at it will show that it has not improved in any way at all events from a "bull" point of view. The Liverpool stock has increased by 63,000, and the total visible supply by 50,000 bales. The latter now stands at 429,000 bales over last year, and from the scale the American receipts are on this excess will be still further increased. Considering all things we think it is marvellous prices are so high as they are, and we hold to the opinion that there is yet room for a material decline.

The American Crop figures to date give the following comparisons with the two previous seasons :—

	1881.	1880.	1879.
Week's Receipts..	93,000	55,000	61,000
„ Exports to U. K.....	63,000	41,000	36,000
„ „ to Continent..	44,000	26,000	25,000
Total receipts since 1st Sept....	4,979,400	4,138,600	4,104,500
„ Exports to U. K. „ ..	2,063,600	1,811,000	1,638,700
„ „ to Continent „ ..	1,224,300	1,013,000	1,254,000
„ Stock in the Ports.....	836,000	801,000	553,000
Saturday's Receipts	12,000	5,000	9,000

The total visible supply of cotton for all Europe on the 25th instant compares with the corresponding date on the two previous years as follows:—

	1881.	1880.	1879.
Total supply of all kinds ..	3,18,000	2,60,710	2,49,750
„ „ Surats.....	350,000	277,360	219,630

For the U. K. only the figures are :—

Stock in Liverpool ..	849,000	572,990	549,310
„ London	46,000	39,020	59,820
American Afloat	270,000	256,000	313,000
E. Indian „	79,000	91,000	91,000
	1,244,000	962,010	976,130
Price of Mid.-Uplands.....	6¾d.	7 15-16d.	5 13-16d.
„ Fair Dholleras.....	4½d.	5½d.	4½d.
Difference..	1⅝d.	1 7-16d.	1 5-16d.

EXCHANGE.—The publication of the Budget has exercised no apparent effect on Sterling to-day. The firmer feeling noticeable yesterday has been maintained, and rates may be called 1-32d. higher all round. In Bank Bills very little has been done, but a fair amount of private paper has been placed. We quote :—

Bank Bills on demand ..	1s. 7 31-32d.	to 1s.8d. per rupee.
Do. telegraphic	1s. 7 15-16d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight ..	1s. 8 3-32d.	„
Credits, 3 „ „ ..	1s. 8⅛d.	„
Documents, 3 „ „ ..	1s. 8 9-32d.	„
Francs, 3 „ „ ..	2f. 11c.	„

On Calcutta, demand drafts are still quoted at par to 1-16 per cent. discount, 60 days' sight nominal.

GOVERNMENT PAPER opened with a very unsettled appearance. The announcement of the new loan naturally induced buyers to withdraw for a time, and low quotations from Calcutta rendered it difficult to quote a reliable price for a time. During the pause quotations of 101¼ and 109¼ were talked of, but no business was done at this level, and we now call rates Fours, Rs. 101½ ; Fours-and-a-half, Rs. 110, at which transactions of some amount are said to have been done.

SHARES.—The market has been steady with, however, very little doing. Bank of Bombays are unchanged at Rs. 745. Colaba Land Shares are Rs. 5 higher at Rs. 830. In Press Companies we notice an advance of Rs. 25 in Apollo, Rs. 50 in Fort Press, and Rs. 75 in Prince of Wales. In Spinning and Weaving Mill Shares the only movements are an advance of Rs. 10 in Manockjee Petits and Rs. 5 in Sonkersi.

COTTON.—The market has been quiet at barely yesterday's prices, but there has, nevertheless, been a fair amount of business doing on the Green, and the day's transactions as reported make up a total of about 2,500 bales. The demand runs chiefly on Dholleras, of which also there are now more sellers than previously. We quote :—

Good Omra, April delivery.....	Rs.	198 per candy.
F. G. F. „ „	„	185 „
G. F. „ „	„	173 „
Good Broach, March	„	223 „
do. do. April	„	220 „
Good Dholleras, May	„	195 „
F. G. F. do.	„	185 „
G. F. do.	„	175 „

In SEEDS and WHEAT there is no quotable change.

FREIGHTS are fairly firm. For Liverpool the enquiry is not active, but there being only one ready steamer on the berth the rate is maintained at 31s. 3d. per ton. For Trieste relets have been done at 37s. 6d., payable here, and for Havre business by ready steamers is reported at 35s. For May loading the steamer "Wheatfield" is reported fixed at 37s. 6d. U. K., 38s. 9d. Antwerp, 150 tons Concessions at 15s. and half Commission.

PIECE-GOODS are very quiet at previous values. In the bazaar to-day great dulness has prevailed, and some orders are reported to have been put through at home at comparatively low prices.

COALS are decidedly firmer owing to the considerable purchases from the bunder within the past few days, and there are no sellers to arrive.

BANK OF BENGAL.

THE following is the statement of the affairs of the Bank of Benal for 22nd March as compared with that for the 14th March, 1881 :—

LIABILITIES.	14th March. Rs.	A.	P.	22nd March. Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund.....	25,12,161	1	4	25,12,161	1	4
Treasury Balances.....	1,92,46,894	8	3	2,00,58,889	8	1
Other Deposits	3,17,86,148	7	8	3,01,41,748	4	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.....	5,93,073	10	7	7,18,454	12	7
Sundries.....	9,11,148	10	3	9,44,727	11	0
Rs..	7,50,49,336	9	1	43,75,981	12	5

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities ..	1,21,76,311	7	0	1,35,74,473	15	0
Loans on Govt. Securities..	90,94,399	6	6	46,89,336	15	3
Credits on do.	55,32,879	15	11	46,45,831	9	11
Bills Discounted.....	2,53,18,031	10	11	2,40,70,258	4	7
Balances with other Banks	5,03,066	14	3	7,95,703	14	3
Bullion	9,87,038	13	0	9,76,753	9	11
Dead Stock	10,90,821	14	1	10,91,296	1	6
Stamps	8,396	15	0	8,518	0	0
Sundries.....	5,03,153		7	5,37,049	15	6
Cash at Head Office.....	1,00,38,769	13	9	99,29,154	5	5
Do. at Branches	1,37,06,656	14	6	1,36,57,583	1	1
Rs..	7,50,49,336	9	1	7,43,75,981	12	5

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Erik, 819 tons, Captain L. C. Kraemar, sailed on the 26th inst. for Dunkirk with a general cargo.

THE steamer Ashbrooke, 953 tons, Captain G. Simpon, sailed on the 26th inst. for Antwerp with a general cargo.

THE ship Murscota, 1,309 tons, Captain R. F. Cuttin, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from Cardiff (Nov. 4th) with a cargo of 2,004 tons coals. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

THE steamer Airy, 1,187 tons, Captain A. J. Balls, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from North Shields (18th Feb.) with a cargo of 1,186 tons coals. The vessel in consigned to Messrs. J. Mackintosh and Co.

THE following is the list of passengers per Hall Line steamer Rydal Hall arrived from Liverpool. Mr. Robinson, Mr. J. S. Nudham, Mrs. Sandford, Miss. Bogle, Sister Eleanor, Mr. G. W. Bake, Capt. Browne, and Mr. Peacock.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Chindwara, 1,533 tons, Captain A. Sanders, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from Calcutta with a general cargo and the following passengers.—Mr. and Mrs. Massey, and three children, Mr. A. H. Combes, and four deck. She sailed on the 26th inst. for Calcutta in ballast.

THE A. H. Lloyd Co's steamer, Vorwaerts, 1,816 tons Captain G. Marussig, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from Trieste (1st March) with the following passengers:— Mr. Hicks, Mr. V. Homanraw, and five deck. She brought the following cargo :—From Trieste— 26 packages glassware, 1,428 packages papers, 55 packages piece-goods, 2 cases flour, 5 cases provisions, 10 packages hardware, 35 cases matches, 3 cases buttons, 2 cases soap, 5 cases metalware, 16 packages ironware, 111 casks beer, 8 bales twist, 224 casks cement, and 20 packages sugar. From Aden.—4 packages E. teeth. From Constantinople. —1 case rosa oil, 1 box gold, and 14 packages copper pots. From Smyrna.—2 packages tobacco.

THE Hall Line Steamer Wistow Hall, 1,729 tons, Captain T. Collins, sailed on the 29th inst. for Liverpool with a general cargo and the following passengers :—For Liverpool—Mr. and Mrs. Mellor, three children, and nurse. Mrs. Martin, two children, and servant, Mrs. Munrowd and child, Dr. and Mrs. Oderaine and two children, Miss Oderaine, Miss Andrews, Mrs. Eyres, and lady, Miss. Russell, Mrs. Davies and child, Dr. and Mrs. Eves, three children and ayah, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chart and child, Mrs. Lane, two infants, and ayah, Mr. and Mrs. Somerville four children and ayah, Mrs. Jameson, four children, and ayah, Mr. F. Gordon, Mr. J. Craft, Mr. F. Craft, Dr. O' Connor, Mr. R. Rowse, and Mr. J. Young. For Naples via Malta.—Major and Mrs. Warell, Mrs. Conway Gordon, child, and nurse, and Major C. J. O. Fitzgerald.

THE P. and O. S. N. Co's steamer Khiva, 2,600 tons, Captain F. J. Alderton, arrived in harbour on the 25th inst. from China, with the China mail, and the following passengers :—From Singapore.—Mr. R. Pestonjee. From Penang.—Two seamen. From Sydney.—Captain and Mrs. A. Barker. From Melbourne.—Captain Jarvis, Mr. T. Bray, Mr. T. Blaney, Mr. G. Bray, Mr. H. Nael, and Mr. R. Dickson. From Calcutta.—Shaik Goolam Mahomed. From Galle.—Mr. and Mrs. McPherson, Mr. B. Andred, and Mr. D. Viz. She brought the following cargo :—From Shanghai.—1,224 chests tea, 10 chests silk, and 2 boxes gold. From Yokahama. —1 box specie. From Honkong.—1 box gold leaves, 16 boxes specie, 1 box gold coins, 1 box silver coins, 2 cases medicine, 4 cases provisions, 59 packages piece goods, 2 cases white copper, 23 cases umbrellas, 4 cases cigars, 3 cases vermilion, 16 cases fans, 11 cases false pearls, 34 cases glass bangles, 825 cases cassia, 100 packages silk, 102 cases preserves, 6 cases chinaware, 17 packages china roots, 3 cases candles, 2 boxes tin leaves, 630 chests tea, 23 cases ainseed star, 1,000 bags sugar, 1,206 nos. jars, and 27 packages sugarcandy. From Singapore.—51 packages nutmegs, 52 packages cloves, 19 packages China cubebs 2 cases cigars, 17 cases lac, 3 cases mace, 9 packages ivory, 152 bags sugar, 3 packages silk, 10 cases kajaputee oil, 100 chests tea, 30 slabs tin, and 2,400 nos. planks. From Penang.—50 slabs tin, and 4 packages copper.

ARRIVALS.

Mar.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
25	Khiva (s).....	Alderton	Shanghai, Mar. 2.
	Muskota	Cuttin	Cardiff, Nov. 4.
	Chindwara (s)	Sanders	Calcutta, Mar. 9.
	Airy (s).....	Balls	N. Shield, Feb. 18.
	Varwaerts (s)	Marussig	Trieste, Mar. 1.
26	Rydal Hall (s)	Lloyd	Liverpool, Feb. 26.
	Urano (s).....	Ucropina	Hongkong, March 2.
	Canada	Croker	Mauritius, Feb. 5.
	Geo. Moon.....	Sawyer	Newcastle, Dec. 6.
27	Nyassa (s)	Butchard ..	Bussarah, March 10.

DEPARTURES.

Mar.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
26	Adirandack (s)....	Watson	London.
	Erik (s).....	Kraemar.....	Dunkirk.
	Wistow Hall (s) ..	Collins	Liverpool.
	Ashbrooke (s)	Simpson	Antwerp.
	Chindwara (s)	Sanders	Calcutta.

The following vessels were entered for loading on Saturday last :—
Steamer Vorwaerts, to China.
Steamer Bessie Morris, to Marseilles.
Steamer Wistow Hall, to Liverpool.
Steamer Wingate, to London.
Steamer Behera, to Marseilles and Barcelona.
Steamer, Africa, to Coast and Calcutta.

CALCUTTA.

March ARRIVALS.
22 Sirdhana (s) .... Brown ..... Bombay March 10.
Vega (s) ..... Smerdon .... Liverpool, Feb. 16.
23 Colaba (s)..... Henderson.. Colombo, March 17.
Navarino (s) ..... Burkett .... London, Feb. 9.

DEPARTURES.
March 22.—Steamer Empress of India. H. M. S. Eclipse and Steamer Bancora. Barque Belpore.
March 23.—Steamers Hutton and Ooryia. Barque Relecca.

MADRAS.

March ARRIVALS.
28 Rajpootana (s)..... ..... Bombay.
Arabia (s) .... Rangoon.
March DEPARTURE.
24 City of Mobile .... Coast.

DAILY EXPORTS.—MARCH 26.

FOR LIVERPOOL.
Dunfillen—750 cwts myrabolams, Poonja Jewraz ; 100 bales cotton, Dayal Bhinjee ; 500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Khersonese—325 cwts bones, Natha Essa.
J. B. Bromen, 111 bales cotton, Ruttonjee Runchordass ; 300 cwts myrabolams, Lalljee Khoolaschund.
Wistow Hall (s)—2,069¼ cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co.
Romania (s)—23 bales wool, Jamnadass and 87 bales wool, Hirjeewan Vussonjee ; 25 bales skins, 110 bales rags, and 210 bales cotton waste, Farnham and Co ; 201 cwts mustard seed, Bossoolah Goorwanjee and Co ; 800 cwts wheat, Lalljee Poonsey and Co ; 13 bales wool, Jamnadass Premjee ; 51 bales cotton, W. and A. Graham and Co ; 500 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 59 bales cotton, Odowjee Purmanund ; 57 bales cotton, Dayal Bhimjee ; 50 bales cotton, Vurseez Dewsee ; 33 bales cotton, Jayram Dayal ; 2,402 cwts wheat, Govindjee Madhowjee ; 175 cwts wheat, Gangjee Nurput ; 187½ cwts myrabolams, Khattow Mathoora ; 93 bales cotton, Lalchund Ramdayal ; 500 bales cotton, W. M. Macaulay and Co ; 14 bales wool, Heerjee Govindjee ; 90 bales cotton waste, Govindram Dwarkadass.
FOR LONDON.
Malwa (s)—300 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.
Camorta (s)—90 cwts ginger, Luckmedass Nurandass ; 187 cwts coir yarn, Mooljee Jetha and Co ; 230 bales cotton, L. Singer and Co ; 10 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co ; 1,600 cwts wheat, F. Mascall and Co ; 550 cwts myrabolams, Shamjee Ramjee ; 24 bales hides, Khanmahamed Yensey ; 400 cwts coolfa, Dawood Esmail ; 100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Wingate (s)—325 cwts bones, Natha Essa ; 300 cwts rapeseed and 9,600 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co ; 330 cwts coir yarn, Tejpal Damjee.
FOR BREMERHAVEN.
Rufus (s)—320 cwts bones, Peerbhoy Damjee.
Buckinghamshire—300 bales cotton, L. Singer and Co ; 250 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.
FOR ODESSA.
Tebe (s)—20 cwts olibanum, Volkart brothers.
FOR ANTWERP.
Ashbrook (s)—6,000 cwts linseed, Sigg-Sulzier and Co.
FOR UNITED KINGDOM.
Ardenconal—200 bales cotton, Wallace and Co.
FOR BARCELONA
Behera (s)—3,000 bales cotton, A. Blascheck and Co.
FOR VENICE.
Tebe (s)—200 bales cotton, L. Singer and Co.
FOR TRIESTE.
Tebe (s)—100 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers ; 100 bales cotton, Thos. H. Moore and Co ; 100 bales cotton, A. Blascheck and Co ; 100 bales cotton, L. Singer and Co ; 100 bales cotton Lyon and Co ; 100 bales cotton, John Marshall.
FOR HAVRE.
Fylgia (s)—200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 150 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Knight Templer (s)—3,619¼ cwts linseed, L. Singer and Co.
FOR GENOA.
Singapore (s)—100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 984 cwts gingellyseed, Killick, Nixon and Co.
Corsica (s)—100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
FOR MARSEILLES.
Singapore (s)—3,183 cwts groundnuts, Ralli Brothers ; 6 bales silk, R. C. Patill.
Behera (s) 7,000¼ cwts. gingellyseed, 4,000 cwts. groundnuts, 75 cwts. horns, and 100 bales cotton, and 55 cwts. horns, A. Blasneck and Co.
FOR YOKOHAMA.
China (s)—5 bales grey yarn, The Morarjee S. W. and Co ; 50 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co ; 25 bales yarn, Jamsetjee Brother and Co.
FOR HONGKONG.
China (s)—221½ cwts. ghee, Vulubjee Hunsraj ; 2 cases overtlane stone, Dattasha Nusserwanjee ; 255 cwts. samada stone, Byramjee Shapurjee ; 5 cases sharkfins Casson Bhimjee ; 15 cwts. raisin, Cumroodin Nuzmudin ; 15 cwts. raisin, Sajunbhoy Dattoo ; 52 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 200 bales twist, Fram'ee Hormunjee ; 37 bales twist, Rehemoobhoy Habibbhoy ; 216 bales cotton, Premjee Walljee ; 21 packages mirlavang, P. F. Tallatee ; 10 bales twist, Eduljee Nusserwanjee ; 22 bales twist, Custoorchund Tarachund.
Vorwaerts (s)—110 cwts. sandlewood, Allana Munjee ; 225 cwts. raisin, Essabhoy Fazel ; 112½ cwts raisin, Jaithanund Chellaram ; 31 bales cotton, Kanayall Magonlall ; 100 bales cotton, Chuckla Datoo ; 68 bales cotton, Mackanlall Marwary ; 131 bales twist Vulubdass Balmookand ; 50 bales twist and 337¼ cwts raisin, Hajee Essac Ellias ; 91 bales twist, Hajee Essac Abdoola ; 208 bales twist, Sewlall Motilall ; 151 bales cotton, Hcerachund Kikhabdass ; 70 bales cotton, Hamirodass Luckmedas ; 337¼ cwts raisin, Hajee Khulfan Ruttonsey ; 51 bales twist E. L. Moolchund ; 200 bales twist, Hormusjee ; 50 bales twist, Gunesh-dass Shobagmull.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.
BOMBAY, 25TH MARCH, 1881.
Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·891
Temperature of the Air	80·2
Wet Bulb Thermometer	72·6
Dew Point.....	69·1
Relative humidity of Air.....	0·638
Extent of cloudy sky (in whole sky clouded—8.)	3·1
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)..	81·5
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	76·9
General Direction of Wind ..	W, WNW, ESE, S, WNW, W.
Movement of wind in 24 hours'	217.
Fall of Rain	0·01
Total fall during month.....	0·01
„ „ „ year	0·01

From midnight to midnight.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—MARCH 25.
Maturin, Surg.-Major, on leave, from Bellary.
Hilton, Lieut. and Adjt., 29th Regt., on leave from Mhow.
Jarvis, Captain, 67th Regt., from leave, from Mhow.
Rowlandson, Major, 7th Bombay N. I., from leave, from Matheran.
Barker, Captain, 80th Regt., from leave, from Sydney.
Odevaine, Surg.-Major, on leave, from Singapore.
MARCH 26.
Castell, Lieut.-Col., on retirement, from Quetta.
Graeme, Lieut., R. A., on duty, from Morar.
Griffith, Major, 18th Bombay N.I., on duty, from Mhow.
Gambier, Major, R. A., on leave, from Lucknow.
Dawson, Captain, 77th Regt., on leave from Port Blair.
Kane, Captain and Bt. Major, 72nd Highlanders, on leave, from Deolalee.
DEPARTURES.—MARCH 24.
Curran, Lieut. and Adjt., 33rd Regt., on duty, to Deolalee.
Fendon, Lieut., R. A., on leave, to Deolaee.
MARCH 26.
Blenkinsope, Surg. Major, on leave, to England.
Mignon, Major, staff, on duty, to Poona.
Westropp, Lieut., 11th Bombay N. I. on duty, to Poona.
O'Connor Surg., on leave, to England.
Rowlandson, Major, 7th Bombay N. I., on leave, to Matheran.
Mignon, Lieut.-Col., Staff Corps, on leave, to Matheran.
Fitzgerld, Major, Staff Corps, on leave, to England.
Stratton, Major, R. A., from leave, to Deolalee.
Eves, Surgeon Major, on leave, to England.
Odevaine, Surgeon-Major, on leave, to England.
MARCH 27.
Kane, Captain and Brevet Major, 72nd Highlanders, to rejoin, to Deolalee.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE, HEAD-QUARTER.
Poona, March 25.

The Comdr.-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—
27th N. I. Surgn. H. P. Dimmock, to officiate in medical charge during the absence of Surgn. Henderson, on forlough, on medical certificate.
Monteath Aboe Mahomed Hussein.—Surgn. Major C. W. Walting, Army Medl. Depart., to the medical charge, Vice Surg.-Major McMullen, deceased.
Capt. J. S. King, Wing Officer 2nd N. I. (Gren.) employed in the Pol. Dept., is seconded.
Bgdr.-Genl. C. M. Govan, commanding Belgaum Dist., was authorised to proceed by Dak to Dharware accompanied by the Depy. Asst. Adjt.-Genl., Belgaum Dist., to inspect the Wing. 17th N. I., returning in like manner to Belgaum on completion of this duty.
Under instructions from Horse Guards, Capt. F. H. England, who has been promoted from the 61st Foot, to be Capt. in the 101st Regt., is directed to proceed to England and report his arrival to the Adjt-Genl. Horse Guards.
The following postings of the R. A. Officers have been made :—
Capt. J. R. Slade, C. B., has been appointed to the Depôt Batty. C. Bgde. R. H. A.
Capt. A. Broadfoot, No. 4 Mountain Batty., Punjaub Field Force, has been appointed to E.-B. R. H. A., vice Slade.
An exchange of batteries has been sanctioned between Captains R. L. Scarlett, 5-11th and H. A. Rigg, E.B. R. A.
The undermentioned medical officers are appointed to do duty with the troops proceeding to England in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Crocodile" on the 31st inst.
Bgde. Surg. E. L. Lundy, and Hr. J. Rose, and Surgns. E. W. Trevor and H. Charlesworth.
The undermentioned officers returned to duty by permission of the Secy. of State for India on the dates specified.
Major F. F. W. Counju, 8th Wing Officer, 4th N. I., 10th March, 1881.
Lt. H. D. Oliver, R. E., Asst. Eng., P. W. D., 18th March, 1881.
G. O. C. No. 56 of 1881 is cancelled.
Under instructions from the Dir.-Genl. of Military Education, Mrs. Mary Hannen is appointed 3rd class army. School Mistress, and posted to the 89th Regt., with the sanction of the port of India.
The following order are confirmed :—
Cavalry Bgde (C. F.) order, dated Kohat, 14th Nov., 1880, appointing Lt. the Hon'ble F. L. L. Colborne (83rd Foot) Bgde. T. Officer, to be Provost Marshal, *vice* Sub-Lt. Betten, 2nd Punjaub Cavy., proceeding to India.
With the sanction of Govt. the following order is confirmed :—
That Chotiali Field Force order, dated 5th October, 1880, directing Capt. F. H. Blunshard, 15th Bombay N. I., to perform the duties of S. O. to the force in addition to his other duties.
Lieut. W. Beville. Adjt. 29th N. I., perform the duties of S. O. to the Rilla Abdoolla Force from 5th to 20th Oct., 1880, in addition to his other duties.
The following orders are confirmed :—
N. D. Order.—Dated 21st March, 1881, appointing 2nd Lt. W. C. James, 2-4th Foot, to command the Teethul Sanite during the ensuing season.
29-19th Foot.—Regtl. Order, dated 26th Feby., 1881, ing Lt. J. G. L. Burnett, to perform the duties direct of Qr.-Mr. during the illness of Qr.-Mr. Horner.
16th N. I.—Regimental Order, dated 21st March 1881, appointing Maj. S. F. Cousmaker (attached as Wing Officer) to officiate as Wing Comdt. with effect from the 19th inst., vice Maj. Mignon, proceeding to join his appointment as Actg. Supt. of Army Schools.
9th N. I.—Regl. Order, dated 28th Feby., 1881, appointing Sub. Lt. C. M. Gray, Offg. Wing Officer, to officiate as Qr.-mr., in addition to his own duties vice Lt. Preston, Offg. as Wing Comdr. and Adjt.
25th N. I.—Regtl. Order, dated 19th March, 1881 appointing Lt. H. Melvill, Wing Officer, to officiate as Qr.-mr.
Purondhar Order, dated 16th March, 1881, directing Lt. the Hon'ble R. Baillie Hamilton, 1st Bn. Rifle Brigade, to perform the duties of S. O. vice Chapman, resigned.
The following orders are confirmed as a temporary arrangement :—
10th N. L. I.—Regtl. Order, dated 15th Feb., 1881, directing Capt. L. A. T. McCudden, Wing Officer, Offg. Wing Comdt. Adjt. to perform the duties of Qur.-mr. in addition to his own (no other officer being available), vice Major Stock, proceeded on Departmental duty to Panjwai.
13th N. I.—Regtl. Order, dated 7th March, 1881, appointing Capt. Young (Qr.-mr., Offg., Wing Comdr), to officiate as 2nd in Comd. and Lieut. Down, Adjt., to officiate as Wing Comdr. both in addition to their own duties respectively, vice Lieut.-Col. Castell, retired.
Lieut. F. M. Bainster R. A., be confirmed the duties of S. S. O. at Ahmedabad in addition to his own from the 3rd to the 6th March, 1881, during the absence of the Asst., Adjt.-Genl., N. D., on duty.
The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—
2-17th Foot—Lieut. D. Mayne, to Cashmere, from 10th April to 31st Aug., 1881, on private affairs.
29th Foot—Lieut. O. H. Oakes to Mahableshwar, for four months from date of departure on private affairs on the recommendation of Medical Boards the undermentioned officers are granted leave to the port of embarkation for 30 days from date of availing themselves of it and thence to England for 12 months from date of embarkation :—
2-11th Foot—Capt. F. F. Gibbons.
98th Foot—Lt. Mackenzie (unfit for duty with troops.)

HIGH COURT.—MARCH 28.

(Before the Hon. Sir CHARLES SARGENT.)
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
Long Causes.
121-80—Jefferson B and D—Vussonjee Jewraj vs Mowjee Soondercjee—Hore C. and B. Part heard.
39-80—H. Bicknell—Motecbai vs Cooverbai and others—Macfarlane—Part heard.
415-80—Payne and G—Premjee Heerjee and others vs Kessowjee Jadhowjee—Prescott and W.
37-80—Smith and F.—Jadhowjee Dossa vs Dadumeya Dosmahomed—R. M. Sayani.
171-80—Muljee and B—Bhowanibhoy Ramjee vs Premchund Roychund—Smith and F.
562-76—Ardeshir and H.—Dhurrumsey Poonjabhoy vs C. A. Turner—Hearn, C. and L.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
Long Cause.
512-79—Tyabjee and D—Mulchrchaw Bezonji vs Cassumbhoy Dhurrumsey and others—Smith and F.; J. Macfarlane; Shapurjee and T.; and Nanu and H. Part heard.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice WEST.)
Such of the following New Long Causes fixed for to-day, which either party to the Prothonotary or the Deputy Registrar will be defended, will not be called on until any consent decree and undefended suits in the list are disposed of. Defended suits will stand over and be taken in their order.
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
New Long Causes.
46-81—Cragie L. and O.—Fatmabeebee bin Mahomed Ameen Rogay vs The Advocate General of Bombay and another—Cragie L. and O.
48-81—Jefferson B. and D.—Amiroodin Abdool Latiff vs Hawabeebee and others.
51-81—In person (paupers)—Amabai and another vs Framjee Maneckjee Gncewala—Ardesir and H.
52-81—In person (a pauper)—Chunnybhoy Raghowjee Kheraz vs Thucker Kharaz Doongersey—In person.
Long Causes.
276—J. C. Cama—Aga Hajee Medi Hajee Kazrani vs Serazoodin bin Muddar Meya Barbary and another—M. M. Nanabi and in person—Part heard.
97-80—Tobin and R.—Godavribai and another vs Ramchunder Sukharamjee—Crawford and B.
422-80—Jefferson B. and D. Ahmedbuy Rubbhoy vs Purmanund Nuthoo—R. M. Sayani.
38-81—Shapurjee and T.—Meghjee alias Veljee Narronjee Virjia Gulji and others—Payne and G.
331-79—A. F. Turner—Mexjee Hunsraj and others—vs Mathooradass Lowjee and another—Muljee and B.
475-80—R. M. Sayani—A. Turner vs Nusserwanjee Ardesir Wadia—Hearn C. and L.

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[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]
(By Indian Telegraph.)

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

CALCUTTA, MARCH 20.

The Financial Statement was issued yesterday evening. The figures are in pounds, at one pound equal to 10 rupees.

Accounts for 1879-80 :—Revenue, £68,485,000 ; expenditure £69,668,000 ; deficit £1,183,000. Including the cost of frontier and Punjab Northern railways, £61,25,000 war expenditure is brought into the account, of which £335,000 is contributed by Local Governments, leaving an Imperial surplus, exclusive of the war, of £4,607,000.

Capital expenditure on productive public works was £3,364,000, besides the foregoing £69,688,000.

The war expenditure proper to the end of 1880-81 is estimated at £16,605,000.

Provision is made in 1881-82 for £2,210,000 war expenditure, on the basis of the evacuation of Southern Afghanistan being completed by the end of May.

Of this sum, £270,000 is for compensation for loss of camels and horses remaining unpaid from 1880-81.

The total net cost of the war is now estimated at Rs. 18,81,50,000, equal at 1s. 8d. the rupee to £15,600,000 true sterling, exclusive of the cost of the frontier railways, which are estimated at Rs. 4,47,70,000, or true sterling £3,730,500 net, and exclusive of the cost of the Punjab Northern Railway, Rs. 1,01,90,000, or £849,000 true sterling.

The English contribution is credited at once, namely, two millions in 1880-81, and three millions in 1881-82.

The military expenditure in the regular budget is based on treasury transactions, not as before on audited expenditure.

Various reforms in the system of accounts are indicated. An independent appropriation audit is under consideration.

The regular estimates for 1880-81 are:—Revenue, £70,768,000, including the two millions English contribution ; expenditure, £77,037,000 ; deficit, £6,269,000. The estimated expenditure includes four millions which under the former system of accounts would have appeared in 1881-82.

Including the frontier and Punjab Northern railways, £11,65,000 net war expenditure is included in the regular estimate. Excluding war expenditure, the surplus for 1880-81 is £5,396,000.

The capital expenditure on productive public works was £2,816,000.

The budget estimates for 1881-82 are :—Revenue, £70,981,000 ; expenditure, £70,176,000 ; surplus, £805,000.

The revenue estimate includes the three millions English contribution, and the expenditure includes £2,210,000 war expenditure proper and £790,000 for frontier railways—total three millions. Therefore the net result of the Budget, unaffected by war expenditure, includes £1,500,000 famine insurance, namely £750,000 for protective works, details given, and £750,000 for reduction of the sterling debt.

A commission on the question of the reduction of the debt is to be appointed in this connection, the precise duties and composition of which are under consideration.

The opium estimate is £9,500,000.

The new capital expenditure on productive public works £2,608,000, namely, £108,000 unexpended balance of former years, and £2,500,000 fixed yearly grant.

The intention is announced, under the usual reserve, to remit home £17,200,000 true sterling in 1881-82, and to raise an Indian loan of three millions, the terms and date of the loan to be announced hereafter.

The statement dwells at length on the productive public works question, approving the policy of limiting the Government expenditure to £2,500,000 annually.

The Finance Minister hopes that private enterprise will construct railways. A commencement has been made by the company formed under the auspices of Messrs. Rothschild, undertaking the construction of the Calcutta-Khoolna railway.

The statement concludes with general observations that when once relieved from the strain of war expenditure, there will be no cause for anxiety as to current finance. The actual position is regarded as prosperous, but future possibilities arising from increase of home liabilities, precarious opium revenue, and the economic problem of over-population, render strict economy necessary.

The points to which Government can now most usefully direct attention are the reduction of military expenditure and the encouragement of private enterprise by all legitimate means.

Any fiscal reforms must be postponed till the Afghan complications are over.

THE MYSORE INSTALLATION.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

*MYSORE, MARCH 25, 7-12 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor of Madras formally installed the Maharaja of Mysore in durbar this morning. The British and the Maharaja's troops lined the route from Government House to the palace. Triumphal arches, festoons of flags, pennons and streamers decorated the whole road. Troops were also drawn up in the quadrangle of the palace, facing the durbar-room. Besides the Maharaja's immediate relations and officers, a large number of European guests were present. The Governor, accompanied by Mr. Gordon, Commissioner, and Major Hobart, Private Secretary, arrived punctually, and was conducted by the Maharaja, under a royal salute, to the durba.-chamber.

The ceremony was held in the palace, which is situated inside the fort. The style of the building is Ultrama Hindu, and with the exception of a few paintings, executed by a European who was for some time in the late Maharaja's employ, does not contain any trace of the influence which European art has exercised over most of the native courts of India. The front, which is tawdrily painted and supported by four fantastically carved wooden pillars, comprises the Dussera Hall, an open gallery where the late Maharaja used to show himself on great occasions on his throne. The throne is one of the few articles of interest in the palace. The original structure, which was of fig-wood overlaid with ivory, is generally stated to have been sent by Aurangzib to Chikka Deva, Raja in 1690 ; but some doubt has been thrown on this assertion by Colonel Wilks. The doors of the hall are overlaid with richly carved ivory and silver.

The Governor sat on the centre throne, flanked on either side by the Maharaja and Mr. Gordon. The troops gave another royal salute : after which the Governor rose and said :—"By request of his Excellency the Viceroy, I am commanded to express his great regret that he was unable to be present on this occasion. He has charged me with the duty of representing him ; and I need not say, considering the intimate relationship of the Presidency of Madras with the Mysore State, and the many interests they have in common, how pleased I am to follow those instructions. I call upon Mr. R. Davidson, C. S. I., Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, and also Secretary in the Political Department, to read the proclamation."

The Governor sat down amidst deafening cheers from the assembly inside and outside the palace.

Mr. Davidson then read the proclamation as follows :—"Whereas in the year 1868 the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council announced by proclamation to the chiefs and people of Mysore that His Highness Chamarajendra Wodiyar Bahadur, the adopted son of the late Maharaja Krishnajee Wodiyar Bahadur, had been acknowledged by the Government of India as successor to Maharaja Krishnaraj Wodiyar Bahadur, and as Maharaja of the Mysore territories, and declared that when his Highness should attain the age of eighteen years the Government of the country would be entrusted to him, subject to such conditions as might be determined at the time. Now, therefore, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council announces to the chiefs and people of Mysore, by command of Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland and Empress of India, that His Highness the Maharaja Chamarajendra Wodiyar Bahadur is hereby placed in possession of the territories of Mysore and invested with the administration of the Mysore State. And His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council declares further to the chiefs and people of Mysore that the administration of the aforesaid territories by the British Government has on this ceased and determined."

His Excellency the Governor then again rose and addressed His Highness in the following terms :—"Maharaja Chamarajendra Wodiyar Bahadoor of Mysore, as representing the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and in obedience to the proclamation which has just been read, I now invest you with the administration of the State of Mysore, and in doing so I desire to offer you my warmest congratulations. On behalf of the Queen-Empress and of the Viceroy, as well as myself and all here present, I wish you success and prosperity, and that you may long continue to rule over a peaceful, a happy, and a contented people. Her Majesty the Queen-Empress, always mindful of the gracious words she used in the proclamation to the princes, chiefs, and people of India in 1858, has by the great act which we celebrate this day given further practical proof of her desire scrupulously to adhere to that proclamation both in the letter and in the spirit. Your Highness, Her Majesty the Queen, and the Viceroy are well aware of the high and responsible trust which the British Government this day commits to your Highness's charge ; but happily they also know that you have endeavoured to render yourself fit for the great duty that devolves upon you, and that under the guidance of Mr. Gordon, the Chief Commissioner, you have studied the principles of Government, and by the interest that you have shown therein, and also by your own manly life and conduct, you have given every indication of becoming a wise, a liberal, and an enlightened ruler. Having, therefore, this confidence in your good qualities, believing also in the attachment of the chiefs and people of Mysore to your Highness, and in their steadfast loyalty to the British Government, I now, on behalf of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, present you with this instrument of transfer, and I pray that God, who watches over us, whatever our creed, may guide you aright in all that you undertake, and may bless the act that we perform this day."

The cheering at the conclusion of the Governor's speech was deafening.

His Highness then rose and replied as follows :—"My lord, I am deeply sensible of the generosity and kindness which Her Majesty the Queen-Empress has invariably shown to my family. In now installing me as ruler of the territory of my ancestors, Her Majesty has given a further proof of the justice and generosity which the Mysore House has ever experienced at the hands of the British Government. I beg your Excellency to convey to Her Majesty the Queen an expression of my deep and grateful loyalty and attachment to the British crown, and my assurance that it shall be my earnest endeavour, by promoting the welfare of the people, to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me. I would ask your Excellency to accept my thanks for the kind interest you have shown in me on this occasion."

The killuts from the Viceroy were then presented, consisting of a diamond necklace, armlets, aigrette, and anklets, valued at half a lac of rupees, besides an embroidered coat with diamonds, rubies, emeralds, and pearls, a Benares turban and kincob, Cashmere shawls, wearing apparel, Dacca muslins, and other valuables.

MYSORE, MARCH 27.

On the evening of the installation day the Maharaja held a durbar and issued a proclamation to the effect that the British Government having made over the territories to his charge, he called upon all his subjects to bear true and faithful allegiance to him and his successors. All existing laws and rules would continue ; all grants and settlements made by the British Government were accepted as binding ; and all existing courts of judicature were confirmed, as well as the existing appointments held by officers, civil and military, for the conduct of affairs.

Mr. Runga Charlu is appointed Dewan, and for Chief Justice Mr. John Douglas Sandford's services are lent by the Government of India.

After the durbar there was a grand dinner in the New Palace, to which 200 guests sat down. After the toast of the Queen, the Maharaja's health was proposed by the Governor.

Mr. Gordon responded, giving an interesting retrospect of the administration of the provinces. He warmly eulogized the political inclinations and liberal principles of the Maharaja, and expressed appreciation, on behalf of the officers of the commission, of the consideration the Maharaja had manifested in their welfare by retaining their services for a certain time after the rendition of the province. Mr. Gordon concluded by urging upon the Governor of Madras to use his influence to provide such officers as might be turned adrift with appointments.

The Governor made a long speech and recounted his political career at home. He credited the Liberal Government with every political success, and endeavoured to impress upon the Maharaja the advantages, of a liberal administration and liberal views in Native States, pronouncing the opinion that nothing but a thoroughly liberal policy would tend to successful results. He concluded by saying that good faith to the people and princes of this country, and anxious solicitude for their welfare, have ever been the sacred and guiding principles of British rule.

The next morning there was a review of all the Maharaja's troops.

The Governor was present in the evening at another durbar held to receive congratulatory addresses from several deputations. The caskets in which the addresses were enclosed were all of Indian style, and were exceedingly handsome. The purport of all the addresses was the same, merely congratulating the Maharaja upon his accession and praying that all manner of benefits would accrue from his rule.

In reply to the address from the gentlemen of Bangalore, Kolar, Toomkoor, Mysore, Hassan Shimoga, Kadoor, and Chittaldrug, the Maharaja thanked them for their cordial expressions of good wishes, and expressed his gratification at finding the deep appreciation and grateful acknowledgment one and all the addresses conveyed. His Highness attributed the peace and prosperity now reigning in the land to British rule. The Maharaja continued that he could not but feel the heavy responsibilities of Government now devolved upon him, and hoped that by strictly and faithfully following constitutional principles, and under the wise counsels of British officers, always available to him, he would be able to make his rule ever conducive to his people's advancement and prosperity. Owing to Mr. Gordon's unceasing and ever-anxious solicitude and interest in his welfare, he was able to commence his rule well. He would endeavour to be alive to all the wants and wishes of his people. Addressing the citizens of Bangalore particularly, His Highness said he was aware of the very advanced condition Bangalore had attained under British rule, and its varied rights and interests would demand his attention ; its prosperity would always receive his constant care ; while with the loyal support of its citizens, Bangalore would maintain its position as one of the most important cities in India. In reply to the Freemasons' deputation the Maharaja said that few as they were in the province, the principles of charity and good will which governed that ancient institution would always command his respect and sympathy. His Highness hoped those principles would ever guide their relations with the State and their fellow-subjects. To the Mysore Planters' Association the Maharaja said he placed a high value on the importance of the planting interest to the prosperity of the province. Agricultural pursuits were the mainstay of the people of this country, and an enterprise like coffee cultivation by a body of English gentlemen possessed of science, energy, and capital must promote the prosperity of the country and stimulate and develop native industry. His Highness expressed a decided hope that planters living and working amidst the natives would do so with a mutual respect for each other's rights, which virtue was peculiarly characteristic of the British race, and enabled them to raise the status of the native agricultural population, at the same time bringing knowledge and energy to bear upon them for their benefit in a way not in the power of any Government to accomplish.

The illuminations and fireworks last night were splendid.

The Governor and party left this morning for Bangalore with the Resident.

The Queen telegraphed to the Maharaja her congratulations and acknowledged kindly His Highness's message through the Governor of Madras.

REVOLT OF AYOUB'S FOLLOWERS.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)

SIMLA, MARCH 25.

News from Herat confirms account of Sirdar Muhammad Hassan Khan's rebellion against Ayoub. It appears that there is an old quarrel between them.

Muhammad Hassan has been lately Governor of Kushk, and seems to have excited the three Herati regiments there to mutiny and murder their General, Muhammad Jan, his brother, and nephew.

Muhammad Hassan has since been joined by the Firazkhois and Jamshidis, and has crossed into the Herat plain.

Nothing is known about Abdul Wahad Khan's alleged death.

THE MERV TURCOMANS AND AYOUB KHAN.

The Merv Turcomans have asked Ayoub's permission to bring their families to Badghis, and leave them there while they attacked the Russians. After some hesitation he consented.

HASHIM KHAN AT HERAT.

Hashim Khan has gone to Herat at Ayoub's request.

MURDER AT KANDAHAR.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)

SIMLA, MARCH 25.

On Monday evening a young Alizai from Zamindwar killed a native follower with an axe outside of the Herat gate of Kandahar. He made no attempt to escape, and was at once arrested. Religious fanaticism seems to have been the only motive for the crime.

RETURN OF AYOUB KHAN'S ENVOY.

Ayoub's Envoy left Kandahar for Herat this morning. The departure was quiet, and no demonstration was made.

THE WEATHER.

More rain fell on Tuesday, but the weather is now fine again.

THE KANDAHAR QUESTION.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, MARCH 25.

A despatch has been published in which the Home Government insists on an immediate withdrawal of the British troops from Kandahar to Quetta. The Viceroy's Council advocate avoidance of haste. Mr. Rivers Thompson's minute condemns the Home Government's peremptory direction to abandon Kandahar without waiting for advice from India.

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE PEACE CONDITIONS WITH THE BOERS.

LONDON, MARCH 25.

Latest advices from the Cape state that the conditions of peace between the Boers and the British have caused great discontent generally among the colonists.

THE TURCO-GREEK QUESTION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, MARCH 25.

The conferences of the Ambassadors of the Great Powers upon the Greek question are now drawing to a conclusion. The Porte has finally offered an extension of territory to Greece in Thessaly, but now refuses to cede either Epirus or Crete.

THE DEBATE ON KANDAHAR IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

LONDON, MARCH 26.

The debate in the House of Commons on Mr. Stanhope's resolution was resumed last night.

Lord George Hamilton said that Sir Charles Dilke's announcement that General Skobeleff had been recalled and Russian operations in Central Asia stopped was a mere parliamentary blind.

Mr. Fawcett pointed out the financial difficulties that would attend a permanent occupation of Kandahar, and strongly vindicated the policy of Government in abandoning it.

The Marquis of Hartington said that the information respecting General Skobeleff's recall and the stoppage of Russian operations in Central Asia had not been received through the Russian Government, and that Russia knew that either military or diplomatic interference on her part in Afghanistan would mean a rupture of diplomatic relations with England.

Sir Stafford Northcote warned the Government of the dangers attending the abandonment of Kandahar in the present state of affairs.

The resolution was eventually negatived by 336 against 216 votes.

ENGLISH LAND LEAGUE.

LONDON, MARCH 26.

Mr. Parnell is organizing an English Land League.

PRINCE CHARLES OF ROUMANIA.

BUCHAREST, MARCH 26.

The Roumanian Chambers have proclaimed Prince Charles King of Roumania.

TRANSPORT MOVEMENT.

ADEN, MARCH 25.

The transport Malabar, outward bound, passed here to-day.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, MARCH 25.

Total week's sales of Cotton ...	.....	44,000 bales.
" Surats	.....	5,000 "
" Week's Imports of Cotton	...	125,000 "
" Surats	.....	3,000 "
" Stock of Cotton	.....	849,000 "
" " Surats	.....	38,000 "
" Stock of Cotton in London	...	46,000 "

LONDON, MARCH 25.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed weak and prices barely maintained.

The London Cotton market has been steady.

Fair Dhollera	4½d.
The Manchester market has been quiet.	
7lbs. Shirtings	5-0¾
8½lbs. do.	7
40s. Mule Twist	0-10½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	84½
4½ do. do.	91¾
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	102½
3 do. Consols for account	100⅛
5 do. French Rente, 1872	121
Bar Silver	52 1-16d.
Departure—Manilla.	

STEAMER REPORT.

GALLE, MARCH 26, 6-56 A.M.

French mail-steamer Yangtse, from China, arrived.

THE Bombay Yacht Club proposes to hold several water parties, the first to take place on the 12th April. The programme will be, the yachts to leave the Apollo Bunder in the afternoon at a given hour, and after cruising inside the harbour in company for a time, to repair to a spot where a vessel will be moored in smooth water, on which dinner will be provided. After dinner the yachts will sail back by moonlight to the bunder, the parties on board the different boats joining in music *en route*. These should be very enjoyable parties, which will greatly relieve the oppressive season of April and May.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY and Lady Ripon arrived at Simla on the 22nd instant.

MAJOR GOLDIE, who is Officiating Military Secretary to Sir Frederick Haines, will, the *Englishman* states, after seeing His Excellency off at Bombay, join Sir Donald Stewart at Simla in the same capacity, until the return of Colonel Chapman.

GENERAL HARDINGE, the new Commander-in-Chief, Mr. Pinhey, Mr. Hope, and Mr. Erskine the Commissioner of Sinde, are on board the mail steamer now nearly due.

MR. JAMES L. MADDEN (Messrs. James Madden and Co., Bombay and Kurrachee) filed his petition in insolvency on Saturday last. The liabilities are estimated at about one lac, and assets Rs. 30,000. We understand that the private liquidation originally proposed had to be abandoned, in consequence of the opposition of a few creditors for small amounts.

MUHAMMAD HAYAT KHAN, C.S.I., whose case is at present under investigation at Peshawar, is the son of a native officer who served in the first Kabul war. He himself entered the British service in one of our native cavalry regiments, and was General Nicholson's orderly during the siege of Delhi. Afterwards he rose to be Ressaldar ; and then, from Tehsildar, and Extra Assistant, was promoted to Assistant Commissioner.

AS soon as things have quieted down in the Transvaal, it is stated the 14th Hussars will return to India to complete their tour of foreign service, and will be stationed probably at Secunderabad. The Inniskilling Dragoons are also expected to come to India from the Cape.

THE Committee of the Bombay Branch East India Association on the 21st instant telegraphed as follows to Sir David Wedderburn :—"Afghan war grant deplorably inadequate. Indian public dismayed. Fifteen instead of five millions equitable. Total cost exceeding twenty. General regret Kandahar not evacuated fifteenth."

THE Kohat branch of the Punjab Northern State Railway will be opened as far as Khushalgurh eighty miles from Rawulpindi, on 1st April. On the same day the main line will be opened to Attock, five miles beyond the present terminus at Haji Shah.

MAJOR TREVOR, Secretary for Berar, announces that thoor, linseed, and gram have suffered above 6 to 14 annas in the Wun district, and "the lac crop has been destroyed by the dew in parts of the Bassim taluka." The rabi crops in the other districts are being reaped, and are said to be favourable.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL BELL, Judicial Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, proceeds on three months' leave from the 1st proximo. Colonel Bushby, Deputy Commissioner, Booldana District, will officiate *pro tem.* The latter officer, it is said, will retire at the end of the year.

THE official reports from Assam for the week ended the 1st of March state that there had been upwards of four inches of rain in Sylhet and Kachar, which had done much good to the crops and tea, besides checking cholera and small-pox, but cattle-disease was still spreading in Kachar. In most of the other districts, except Lakhimpur, more rain would be beneficial, and in the Garo Hills a heavy gale on the 4th instant had done some damage.

A CARAVAN was taken on from Ali Musjid on Monday, towards Dakka, by the Zakka Khel maliks under the new arrangements ; and on Wednesday a caravan arrived at Jamrud from Loargai on its way to Peshawar. All is quiet in the pass.

THE proximate causes of the disturbance at Bahawulpore, the Lahore paper says, are still uncertain. Some say that it originated in the ceremonies of the *holi* festival. His Highness the Nawab, a correspondent states, sided with the Mahomedans, and the Hindus were almost in open revolt. Whatever the reason, there appears to have been a great deal of excitement. A large crowd of Hindoos from Bhawulpore—five or six hundred, according to one account—proceeded all the way to the railway station, for protection, it is alleged. It is also said that the Nawab placed two hundred Hindoos under confinement. On Sunday evening, Mr. Cordery, Commissioner of Mooltan, went to Bhawulpore by ordinary train, and a special train was ordered to be in readiness, in case of an emergency.

WE some time since noticed the presence of the son of the Ameer of Bokhara in the Punjab. If authentic, the death of the Ameer leaves Syud Abdul Malik the undisputed heir of the Bokhara throne. But the despatch of a Russian force from Samarcand, and the absence of the heir-apparent, render the situation rather critical. Syad Abdul Malik showed his hatred of the Russians by making strenuous efforts to induce his father to fight with them. With this intent he subsequently raised a rebellion, and after making several fruitless attempts to depose his father, he fled to Herat, where he was hospitably received. At Kabul he became a great friend of Yakub Khan, on whose deportation he accompanied him as far as Peshawar. The *Civil and Military Gazette* says that a few weeks ago the Prince set out on a pilgrimage from Peshawar to Sirhind, from which he is not known to have returned. He is very popular in Bokhara. His father's ministers have been secretly corresponding with him. The Prince is reported to have made a vow that he will spend Rs. 1,70,000 in alms, if he succeeds his father to the throne of Bokhara.

A CORRESPONDENT sends us a cutting from an old number of *Time* which even now may be of some interest :—Between these two brothers comes Temple, in whom playful minds found a resemblance to the beadle in "Oliver Twist," whereby the title of Bumble adhered, and still adheres, to this remarkable boy. He was not scholastically distinguished at Rugby, but observant eyes saw a very steady pluck about him. If he worked, he worked ; when he played, he played. If not with much heart, still with dogged perseverance. He went through everything keeping his mind intent on the matter in hand. And that is why he has fought his way to a baronetcy by work effected, not by favour sought. And that is why when the scorching sun permits people, to drive on the Esplanade at Bombay, while the band plays, the barouche and four that swings up, with outriders, and is the signal for the lifting of all hats, contains no less a person than his Excellency —this same Bumble of the middle fifth, who, if life lasts, has a chance of sitting in the House of Lords, which he would not part with for a trifle.

THE *Bombay Guardian* writes of the "Chuppan Bhog" :—Fourteen Maharajas, regarded by their own worshippers as incarnations of deity and by others as incarnations of lust, lately came together in the small town of Neriad in the district of Kaira, and upwards of a hundred thousand of their deluded followers assembled there to take part in the ceremonies of the Chuppan Bhog festival. Great pains were taken by the authorities to prevent the outbreak of disease, and to regulate the crowding so that no lives might be lost. Some thirty persons were so injured that they had to be removed to the hospital. The devotees of the Maharajas are found among the Bhattias and Wanis. Besides consecrating their own persons and those of their wives and children to these incarnations of Krishna, enormous wealth is poured at the feet of these supposed divinities. One Bombay merchant made a present of Rs. 20,000. Some sanguine persons supposed that the exposures made at the Maharajah Libel Case in 1862 would have the effect of opening the eyes of the deluded Vallabha-charyans to the monstrousness of this system, but there does not appear to have been any marked diminution of the wretched delusion.

A SAD accident is reported to have occurred at Narnaul, in the Patiala State. A marriage procession was passing through the bazaar and was accompanied by dancing parties. The procession halted in an open place in the bazaar, and dancing was in full swing. Men assembled in such large numbers to witness the *tumasha* that the roofs of the adjoining houses were overcrowed, and suddenly one of them gave way. A very large number of men were entombed under the *debris*, and it is said that five persons died instantaneously, and twenty-six others, of whom nine did not belong to the procession, were severely hurt. The bridegroom was also slightly hurt.

SINCE the re-numbering of the 1st Punjab Volunteers some six or seven years ago, the Lahore paper states, no less than *two thousand* men have been entered on the rolls as efficiently trained to arms and discipline. Of these, a few, of course, are dead or may have left India ; but that is only a trifling deduction from the great efficiency thus supplied almost gratis to the community by its volunteer officers, who, to tell the truth, get but scanty credit or thanks for their trouble and expenditure. Witness the remarkably unsatisfactory reply made by Government to Major Dodd's representations last year on the subject of the encouragement of volunteering by special official recognition and reward.

REFERRING to the list of Afghan honours, the *Civil and Military Gazette* remarks :—The gross injustice which was inflicted upon General Massy in making him the scapegoat for the blundering which led to the retreat into Sherpore may not improbably have caused the intentional omission of his name from the list. Injustice has always a tendency to perpetrate itself. Nevertheless, we shall yet hope to see true merit recognized in the case of an officer whose services were highly distinguished long before the Afghan campaign, and whose present position must stultify the denial to him of a decoration given to others with claims far less conspicuous than those of Redan Massy.

THE *Pioneer* thinks there must surely be a supplementary list of Afghan honours in hand, for the omission of many names is so marked that great discontent is already expressed with great freedom. With K. C. B's so lavishly given, it appears strange that not a C. B. could be spared for General Massy. . . Again, no brevet colonelcies have been gazetted, and in consequence commanding officers who have not received the distinction of a Companionship of the Bath get absolutely nothing for their pains. Lieutenant-Colonel Stockwell, for instance, now commanding the 72nd Highlanders, greatly distinguished himself at Charasia, in the severe fighting about Kabul, and in the battle of Kandahar. In the last-named action he took command of his regiment after Lieutenant-Colonel Brownlow's death, led it splendidly, and brought it out of action. Two C. B.'s have been given in the 92nd Highlanders, but Lieutenant-Colonel Stockwell gets nothing.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to a Madras paper to point out a curious discrepancy in P. and O. rates:—I see from advertisements that the company are now issuing six-monthly return tickets to and from Brindisi for Rs. 1,150, with the option of travelling one way *via* Southampton Rs. 1,200, and both ways *via* Southampton Rs. 1,250. I wonder if the Agents at Bombay, Ceylon, Madras, and Calcutta are aware that these rates exceed those on which the usual abatement of 20 per cent. is allowed when returning within six months. I'll just make a comparison. Take first the rate to Brindisi and back. The fare as advertised is Rs. 1,150. Now, the full fare to Brindisi is Rs. 830 (Rs. 30 being transit fare) less 20 per cent. on Rs. 600 when returning within six months. Rs. 480 *plus* 30 *plus* 630 aggregates Rs. 1,140. This shows Rs. 10 less. Take the second figure, Rs. 1,220, travelling one way *via* Southampton. Fare to Southampton Rs. 680, less 20 per cent. on Rs. 600 : returning *via* Brindisi, Rs. 480 *plus* 30 *plus* 680, total Rs. 1,190. This also shows Rs. 10 less. If the passenger travels home *via* Brindisi and returns *via* Southampton, he gets the 20 per cent. off Rs. 680. The figures then will stand thus—630 *plus* 544, aggregating Rs. 1,174, which shews Rs. 26 less. Take now the last fare, travelling both ways *via* Southampton. The figures here will be 680 *plus* 544 : total 1,224. This also gives Rs. 26 less. Where, then, is the advantage of taking a six, monthly return ticket home and back ?

How the army which Abdul Rahman is sending from Kabul to Kandahar hopes to hold its own against any force Ayoub and Hashim may bring into the field, the *Pioneer* does not understand ; probably it is by bribing the 137 sirdars to whom Abdul Rahman has sent letters announcing that Kandahar is to be made over to him by the British. No doubt these wretched nobles will accept the presents offered, and will promise the British and Kabul officials to be faithful to the Ameer ; but their word is worthless, and their allegiance will be cast to the winds at the first opportunity. The envoys sent by Ayoub Khan to Kandahar have been sent back to Herat with the news that the British are making over the province to Abdul Rahman. They will add, perhaps, that our army is on the point of departure, and that Ayoub's second chance has come. It is amusing to be told that "the envoys have left quietly :" in what other way could they leave ? They might have rent their garments and shaken the dust of the bazaar off their feet, in true Oriental fashion ; but for them to have left shrieking curses against the British Government and all its friends would have been too undignified. They will reach Herat before the Kabul troops have arrived at Kandahar, and Ayoub Khan and the Luinaib will have then to begin their arrangements for a new campaign. Abdul Rahman must be unusually self-confident if he hopes to establish himself in Southern Afghanistan without the a id of English troops.

P. W. D. PROVIDENT AND WIDOWS' FUND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—What has become of the scheme brought forward by Messrs. Ryan and Gunning? The last notice in the *Bombay Gazette* (a year ago) was, that the memorial is to be placed before the Government of India for favourable consideration. Will the secretaries let us know the result?

STEAMHAMMER.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—In Throat Diseases its efficacy is unequalled. Sir G. Duncan Gibb, Bart., M.D., Physician to the Westminster Hospital, writes : "The value of Dr. de Jongh's Cod Liver Oil as a therapeutic agent in a number of diseases, chiefly of an exhaustive character, has been admitted by the world of medicine ; but inaddition, I have found it of remedy of great power in the treatment of many Affections of the Throat and Larynx, especially in Consumption of the latter, where it will sustain life when everything else fails." Sold only in capsuled Imperial Half-pints, Pints and Quarts, by all chemists, druggists, and store-keepers. Sole Consignees, Ansar, Harford and Co., 77, Strand, London.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Meeting, Royal Alfred Sailors' Home, 5-30 p. m.
Chiarini's Circus, 9 p. m.
Gaiety Theatre, "The Post Boy," 9 p.m.
Evening-party Government House, 9-30 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 25th :—Khiva (s), from Shanghai ; Muskota, Cardiff ; Chindwara (s), Calcutta ; Airy (s), N. Shields ; Vorwaerts (s), Trieste. 26th :—Rydal Hall (s), Liverpool ; Urano (s), Hongkong ; Canada, Mauritius ; Geo. Moon, Newcastle. Yesterday :—Nyassa (s), Bussonah.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed on the 26th :—Adirondack (s), to London ; Kirk (s), Dunkirk ; Wistow Hall (s), Liverpool ; Ashbrooke (s), Antwerp ; Chindwara (s), Calcutta.

THE "reserve" in the Akola (Berar) Treasury on the 1st March amounted to Rs. 17,44,950.

MR. TALBOT HAMILTON, Assistant Superintending Engineer and Assistant Secretary to the Resident, Hyderabad P. W. D., proceeds on three months' privilege leave next week.

THE annual meeting of the Indo-British Institution will be held to-morrow at 5-30 p.m., when H. E. the Governor will preside. The proceedings will be followed by a distribution of prizes to the children.

EVENING PARTY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.—H. E. the Governor has issued invitations for an evening party to take place at Government House to-day at 9-30 p. m., to bid farewell to H. E. the Commander-in-Chief and Mrs. Warre.

REVENUE COMMISSIONER, S. D.—Mr. Arthur Crawford, the Revenue Commissioner of the Southern Division, who accompanied His Excellency the Governor on his recent tour, has resumed charge of the duties of his office since Friday last.

SENT TO THE REFORMATORY.—A Parsee lad, named Eduljee Dorabjee, was on Saturday last convicted by Mr. C. P. Cooper of stealing Rs. 7 in cash, the property of his master, Framjee Temoolji. He was ordered to be sent to the Sassoon Reformatory.

SHIKAREES.—Some dozen European gentlemen from Bombay, Calcutta, and Madras are going out shikarring in the Kanara jungles, where they intend to stay until about the middle of April. Sir Frank Souter, we hear, will be one of the party. Colonel Peyton is busy making preparations for the accommodation of the sportsmen.

THE MAHARAJA OF BHURTPORE.—A guard of honour consisting of 50 rank and file of the 21st Regiment N. I., with band and regimental colour, under the command of a native officer, will parade to-day at Grant-road Railway station to receive His Highness the Maharaja of Bhurtpore, G. C. S. I. A salute of seventeen guns will be fired from the Saluting Battery on the arrival of His Highness.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—The following is a summary of cases prosecuted by the agents of the S. P. C. A. during the week ending the 26th instant :—Horses, 1 lame and 1 unfit for work ; bullocks, 13 lame, 27 sore necks, 8 emaciated, 1 unshod, and 1 goading ; fowls suspended by the legs, 15. Total, number of cases, 53 ; amount of fines, Rs. 77.

CARRYING EXCESS OF PASSENGERS.—Mulloo Etoo, Tatia Gunoo, and Hurry Etoo, tindals of native craft, were on Saturday last convicted by Mr. C. P. Cooper of carrying a greater number of passengers than their respective boats are licensed to carry. Prisoners Nos. 1 and 2, being old offenders, were fined Rs. 30 each, or in default six weeks' simple imprisonment, and the other was fined Rs. 15.

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.—It is said that the Faculties of Medicine and Law of the Bombay University propose to grant permission to holders of the new degree of Bachelor of Science to go up for the M. D. and LL.B. examinations, in the same way as holders of the degree of B. A. are at present allowed to go up for those examinations. The recommendation of the Faculties is to be submitted for confirmation to a meeting of the Senate of the University.

DEFAMATION.—A Parsee dubash named Merwanjee Bezonjee appeared before Mr. C. P. Cooper on Saturday last, at the Fort Police Court, and obtained a summons against Jamsetjee Cawasjee, another dubash, who was formerly in the service of the complainant, charging him with defamation, in respect of certain statements made by accused to Captain Holt, the commander of the steamship Corsica, alleging that the complainant had fraudulently obtained possession of a certain letter signed by Captain Shepcott, formerly the commander of the same vessel, and was making use of the name of a dissolved firm, and that Captain Holt would be injuring his interests if he employed the complainant as his dubash. The summons was made returnable to-morrow (Tuesday).

A DISHONEST POLICEMAN.—Gunnoo Balloo, a police constable doing duty in the Dhobie Talao section, was on Saturday last convicted by Mr. C. P. Cooper of criminal breach of trust in respect of a sum of Rs. 11, the property of a fellow police constable named Sonoo Christnajee. It appears Sonoo Christnajee some days ago dropped from his pocket the amount in question (which consisted of a currency note for Rs. 10, and one rupee in silver) without his knowledge. The note and coin were picked up by a Goanese lad named Constance Fernandes, an assistant cook employed at the Dhobie Talao police station, who saw the complainant drop them, and who handed them over to the prisoner to be returned to the owner. Some days elapsed, and Fernandes asked Sonoo whether the money had been returned to him by the prisoner, and on his replying in the negative, the matter was brought to the notice of the police inspector, Mr. Whitten, who, upon making an inquiry, found that the money had been misappropriated by the prisoner to his own use. The prisoner was sentenced to two months' rigorous imprisonment.

THE ROYAL ALFRED SAILORS' HOME.—The annual general meeting of the Royal Alfred Sailors' Home Society takes place this evening at half-past 5 o'clock, when His Excellency the Governor will preside. It is expected that the resolutions usual on the occasion will be moved by the Hon'ble Mr. Kemball, the Hon'ble Mr. West, the Lord Bishop of Bombay, Mr. J. K. Bythell, Mr. Francis Mathew, and other gentlemen. Captain Proby Doughty, R.N., the senior Naval Officer present, has kindly promised a guard of honour of blue-jackets from H. M. S. Crocodile, and the band of the 25th Regiment Native (Light) Infantry has been kindly lent for the occasion by Colonel C. Jameson and the officers of the regiment. A large number of invitations have been issued, and all interested in the welfare of seamen are cordially invited to be present. It is expected that the grand annual amateur concert, under the patronage of His Excellency the Governor, in aid of the funds of the institution, which it is intended shall be exceptionally attractive this year by the introduction into the programme of several concerted pieces and the assistance of amateurs who have not before been heard in public in Bombay, will take place in the early part of next week.

THE TRAMWAYS.—The *Indian Spectator* is "glad to see that at last a majority of the Corporation has wisely agreed to grant the concessions for the new tramway on the conditions finally agreed between it and the Commissioner. We hope we will now no more hear of further opposition and all the balderdash about its unpopularity, as given out by gentlemen whose sense in this matter seems to have gone wool-gathering."

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tramway company, namely, that it was an alien company. He would beg leave to remind the members of the Corporation that when the Municipal authorities, in 1872, advertised for tenders for the tramway concession in this city, they did so in June of that year and asked that the tenders be sent in six months later, that was, in December; and this long time was allowed with the express purpose of giving parties in Europe and America the opportunity of competing. Could they now reasonably turn on those who then offered the best terms and reproach them with being "aliens," after having deliberately preferred them as the parties best suited to their purpose? Nor did he think that he had any reason to regret that the concession had fallen into the hands of those who had introduced and managed the tramway. So far as his opinion went, and he was speaking from personal knowledge supported by the testimony of several constant travellers by tramcars, no company, whether of Englishmen or of natives of India, could have deserved better of the community. There might be one or two places in the proposed extension where the line ran rather near to the side of the road, but they were informed that the Tramway Co. was ready and willing to pay for the widening of the road in such places, if the Municipality were to move in the matter and effect a set-back. This being so, he thought that the Corporation ought to trust to the Municipal Commissioner to do what was necessary for the public convenience. Let them leave the details of the arrangement of the line to him, who had the best advice at his command, and who was in a better position than they were to give a proper decision on these minor points. They as a Corporation had asked that the plans of any proposed extension should be laid on their table for fifteen days. That request had been complied with. The Tramway Company informed them that under the circumstances set out in their letter of the 16th instant, a prompt decision by the Municipal Commissioner was necessary, to enable them to complete the work before the rains. In the interests, therefore, of all parties concerned, including the public of Bombay, he had great pleasure in seconding Mr. Carroll's proposition, and hoped that this resolution might be passed to-day, and that no unnecessary delay might be caused in the extension of this important work.

Mr. Raghunath Narayen Khote said he had much pleasure in supporting the resolution; but in doing so he thought it necessary that some of the arguments adduced against the present administration of the tramway in general should be disposed of. In a very able speech made by the Rao Saheb at the Town Council meeting, he had given them a round of statistics and drawn a round of conclusions from them. He (Mr. Narayen Khote) had also heard Dr. Cook's remarks against the extension and the proposal contained therein. He must confess that he was very much amused by the statistics—he should say, the fallacious statistics—and the misleading conclusions drawn by his friend the Rao Saheb. Statistics were no doubt very useful in coming to a conclusion; but they would no doubt bear in mind that to deal with them they must satisfy certain conditions. If they had to determine the water and food-supply of Bombay, or even the salt supply, it was certainly necessary that they should make their calculations on the basis of the whole population of Bombay, for all these articles were necessarily used by the population at large without reference to condition of life, age, or sex. He would now deal with the conclusion that his friend the Rao Saheb had brought forward. His friend took it for granted that the total population of Bombay was eight lakhs, but before going further into these statistics he must tell the Rao Saheb that he was wrong, for the population was only 7,25,000, taking the 25,000 to be the harbour population of Bombay. He had this from Mr. Mills, the officer in charge of the Census Department, and could therefore vouch for the accuracy of the figures. If, therefore, the population was only 7,25,000, the Rao Saheb's calculations on the eight lacs of population must be so far wrong. They were told that the total number of tickets issued by the Tramway Company in 1880 was 6,12,000. The Rao Saheb divided this figure by 365 to give the daily issue of tickets, which was 16,000; and he halved this number, on the supposition that every person who travelled by tram in the morning returned by tram in the evening with another ticket. This was not quite correct. The Rao Saheb thought the number of persons who travelled daily by tram was 8,000, or only one per cent. of the population, and this percentage he considered so small that he jumps to the conclusion that the tramway was not a useful institution, and was not a blessing to Bombay, but on the contrary ought to be condemned. All these calculations presupposed that every individual in Bombay, male and female, without reference to age, was able to travel by tramcar. But the right way to use the statistics was to calculate the percentage on that portion of the public for whose benefit the tramways were constructed. They must make several deductions from this 7,25,000 to find that number. He had taken the census of 1872 for his calculation, as he could not obtain details of the last from Mr. Mills. The proportion of males to females in Bombay was three to two. Therefore of the 7,25,000 people in Bombay, about three lakhs were females who did not avail themselves of the conveniences offered by the carriage locomotion. Then there were the children under 12 years. In 1872 the number of children under 12 was 1,29,000, and as the census of this year was 75,000 higher than that of 1872, he made a proportionate deduction. Then they must deduct a number of beggars and paupers who were not expected to use the tramway, and this would leave two lakhs of the male population who were likely to use the tramway. Out of these two lakhs how many people earned only two to four annas a day and were hardly able to keep body and soul together, and could not under any circumstances use the tramway cars? He believed the number of these people was 1,50,000. They would therefore have only 50,000 people left who were, legitimately speaking, users of carriage locomotion. Then there were the gentlemen who had their own conveyances. He heard from Mr. Hutchinson that the number of carriages in Bombay owned by private individuals was 2,500. If every carriage was used by five males, they would have a total of 20,000 people who had no necessity for using a tramway. He belonged to that class, so did Dr. Cook. They had now only 30,000 left out of the 7,25,000. Then he would come to the aged people who had no occasion to go out of doors. He had no statistics with reference to these people, but making a guess, he would put them down as a third, which would leave only 20,000; and that was exactly the number of people who, they were told, used the tramway. (Laughter.) But he would not exaggerate in any way and would therefore put down the number at 13,00, allowing for those who made the double journey. If 13,000 people used the tramcars out of 20,000 who required such means of locomotion, he thought the percentage, nearly 70 per cent., ought to convince his friend Mr. Mandlik of the great value of the institution. Having disposed of the statistics from which his friend the Rao Saheb had drawn his inferences, he would deal with the suggestion made by Dr. Cook, namely, that instead of this extension from Pydhowni through Bapoo Khote-street, Erskine-road, Falkland-road, and Grant-road to a point near the Frere bridge, it should be by the Obelisk-road, opposite Grant Medical College, to the foot of the bridge. They might as well ask the proprietors of the tramway to carry their lines from the terminus of Byculla *viâ* the club to the Grant-road station. Why not ask them to carry their lines through the Byculla Flats, where there would be no obstruction? They might as well ask the company to carry their lines through the jungles. The object of the extension was to increase the traffic, and the lines which it was intended to adopt were the only ones over which they could expect some reasonable traffic. The Corporation ought therefore to consult in some measure the convenience of the company. He should with all his heart support the proposition before the meeting. (Applause.)

(To be continued.)

BENGAL.

FREEMASONRY.—The Memorial Tablet to the late R. W. Brother ... er J. B. Roberts has been fixed in its position ... in the Masonic Hall, which was formally announced at the meeting of the District Grand Lodge of Bengal held on the 21st instant. The memento is in the form of a memorial brass on a dove-colored marble slab. In enamel the Royal Arch border runs round the plate, and at the four corners are the jewels of the principal degrees held by the late distinguished Brother, *viz.*, Past Master, Royal Arch, Knight Templar, and Knight of Malta, in their respective colours.—*Indian Daily News.*

KAUN HAI.—We understand that a European having all the *savoir faire* of an aristocrat, visited, on Monday last, the Great Eastern Hotel under the *nom de plume* of "W. Beresford," and led some of the assistants in the hotel to believe that *he* was the gallant Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy. All eyes were immediately fixed on this "great unknown" person, and suspicion was carried to a high pitch as to the genuineness of the subject. Native merchants and jewellers flocked in large numbers to dispose of their articles, labouring under the impression that the *lat sahib* had been deputed by the Viceroy to proceed to Mysore for the installation ceremony, and would consequently carry some presents to the Rajah. The *soi-disant* Beresford, to maintain his aristocratic position, purchased articles to the tune of Rs. 10,000, and tendered worthless cheques to the would-be duped native merchants. In the course of the day he had the effrontery to ask for a loan of Rs. 500 from one of the hotel officials, and the request was immediately complied with; but speculation in the afternoon being rife as to his identity, the lender demanded back the sum that he had lent, which was restored to him. In the evening the merchants and jewellers finding that there was something "rotten in the state of Denmark," also demanded their articles, and we believe these were also restored, but the "Beresford" was *non est inventus* at night. The police, we understand, are on the look-out. A person answering to the description of this would be nobleman, succeeded in duping several persons in Bombay, we hear, and travelled down to Calcutta, passing himself off at some stations as "Lord Marcus Beresford," and at others as a "cousin of the family." At Bombay, a gentleman of a mining company, and well-known to William Beresford, desiring an interview with "my Lord," was refused it, and, as facts have transpired since, for the obvious reason that the little game would have been up. The impostor, we hear, is a capital billiard-player.—*Statesman.*

MADRAS.

THE HON'BLE LOUIS FORBES.—The Viceroy has appointed Mr. Louis Forbes, M. C. S., the Judge of Bellary, late Acting Judge of the High Court, and now on furlough, an additional member of the Viceregal Legislative Council. Mr. Forbes is No. 4 on the Madras Civil List, his seniors being the Hon'ble L. C. Innes, Judge of the High Court, the Hon'ble W. Hudleston, Senior Member of Council, and the Hon'ble L. R. Kindersley, Judge of the High Court.—*Mail.*

LOST—AN ELEPHANT.—A she elephant, with an iron chain round her neck, and a sacred ash mark on forehead, apparently belonging to a Siva temple, was found at Cusen Chengum in the South Arcot district without a mahout or driver, and has been secured in the Tiruvannamalai temple, and is being fed at the expense of Government. A notice has been issued that if the owner does not appear before the Joint Magistrate by the 11th of May and establish his claim, the animal will be sold, and the proceeds, after defraying the expenses of keep, carried to the credit of Government.—*Mail.*

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NOWROJEE BALABHAI, Parsee, of the Tanna District ..... Plaintiff.
vs.
MAGDOOM, alias FAKIR VALAD AMAD SAHIB CHIMEKAR, GULAM MOHIDIN VALAD AMAD SAHIB CHIMEKAR, and HUSEIN VALAD AMAD SAHIB CHIMEKAR, of the Tanna District ..... Defendants

PURSUANT to a Decree made in the above suit by the Court at Nasick, bearing date the 28th of March, 1877, and an order made in the above suit by the Honourable Mr. Justice Bayley in his Chambers, and bearing date the 10th day of March, 1879, the following IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES WILL BE SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION in two lots before Charles Edward Fox, Esquire, Commissioner of this Honourable Court, at his Office in the Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of April, 1881, at the hour three o'clock in the afternoon.

LOT No. 1.

All the estate and interest of the abovenamed plaintiff, Nowrojee Balabhai, and of the abovenamed defendants, Magdoom alias Fakir Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar, Gulam Mohidin Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar and Husien Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar, or any of them, in all that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax Land, situate at Vithal Vaddy Cross Lane, in the registration sub-district of Fort, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 3,736 square yards or thereabouts called or known by the name of Telwady Cart, and registered under No. 770 in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue, and bounded as follows:—On or towards the north by the properties of Shivram Dowbram, Noorbhoy Adamjee, Amadbhoy Currimbhoy and others, on or towards the east by the properties of Jeewajee Manockjee, Runchordass Morarjee, Ramchunder Dinanath and others, on or towards the east by the properties of Moolchund Hemchund, Jalkissen Gungadass, Dhondooraj Vinack Davulkar and others, and on or towards the west by the properties of Candass Narrondass and others; which said land was formerly and is now occupied by the tenants of the abovenamed defendants together. Firstly, with all the messuage or tenement standing on the said piece or parcel of land fronting the west side of Vithal Vaddi Cross Lane aforesaid, assessed by the Collector of Municipal taxes under No. 66, and bounded as follows:—On or towards the north by the house of Hirabai, widow, on or towards the south by a passage, on or towards the east by the said Vithul Vaddi Cross Lane, and on or towards the west by vacant ground; and which said messuage or tenements were formerly in the occupation of the said defendants' tenants, but are now vacant. And secondly, with all the messuage or their tenement standing on the said piece or parcel of land admeasuring 110 square yards or thereabouts, and situate on the west side of the said Vithul Vaddy Cross Lane, assessed by the Collector of Municipal taxes under No. 66, and bounded as follows:—On or towards the north by vacant ground, on or towards the south by a sweeper's passage, on or towards the east by a passage, and on towards the west by a sweeper's passage; and which said messuages or tenements were formerly and are now in the occupation of the said defendants or their tenants.

LOT No. 2.

All the estate and interest of the abovenamed plaintiff, Nowrojee Balabhai, and of the abovenamed defendants, Magdoom alias Fakir Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar, Gulam Mohidin Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar, and Husein Valad Amad Sahib Chimekar, or any of them, in all that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate on the north side of Musjid Lane in the registration sub-district of Fort, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 77 square yards or thereabouts, assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 5,851 and by the Collector of Municipal taxes under No. 3, and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the north by the property of Laljee Mowjee, on or towards the south by the said Musjid Lane, on or towards the east by a public passage, and on or towards the west by the property of Javarchund Kurrumchund; and which said premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the defendants or their tenants.

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